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**Subject:** FW: International trip approval requests

Hi Lek,

We have two international travel request that were not on the original forecast sheet and we'd like to substitute and obtain approval for these. I may have misunderstood but Greg seemed to indicate a few weeks ago that you all were working on a process for these international travel requests and/or changes. In the meantime, do you send these to Charlotte, Nancy and Alex for approval or should we? One of these is coming up in June.

Thx so much,  
Wynne

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**Traveler:** Pete Savoia *Note: This can replace Julie Van Alstine's JMPR trip on the travel forecast*

**Dates:** June 27-28, 2019

**Location:** Wiesbaden, Germany

**Purpose/Value to EPA/OPP:** Pete will make a presentation at the international Fresenius Conference focusing on improving global MRL harmonization. The conference is organized every second year and deals with the latest developments in the detection of pesticides residues in food with an analytical focus, including regulatory considerations. MRLs are important for harmonization of international standards to reduce trade barriers and it is vital for representatives from the EPA-OPP and the US to continue to participate in these meetings to provide input into the development of evaluation policies and practices. Pete Savoia's international travel to the 10th International Fresenius Conference on Pesticide Residues in Food will not interfere with the offices' mission or jeopardize completing any deliverables.

**Traveler:** Hannah Pope-Varsalona *Note: This can replace Wanda Hall's OECD trip that was listed for April on the travel forecast (which was cancelled)*

**Dates:** August 2019 (date is still being scheduled)

**Location:** Envigo CRS Limited (Huntingdon): Woolley Rd, Alconbury, Huntingdon PE28 4HS, UK

**Purpose/Value to EPA/OPP:** Dr. Hannah Pope-Varsalona will provide technical expertise to the OECA team performing an audit of the Envigo CRS Limited laboratory. The laboratory is performing studies that are needed for EPA-OPP's upcoming regulatory decisions on the organophosphate chemicals. The laboratory has thus far, demonstrated a lower than normal level of competency in performing these studies; and two years of HED/ORD intervention directly with the registrant and Envigo, has not increased the agencies confidence in the laboratory's capacity. This audit will ensure the lab is adhering to GLP standards and the data produced will be of sufficient quality for EPA to use in OPP's risk assessment. Dr. Pope-Varsalona's technical expertise is essential to the inspection. Dr. Hannah Pope-Varsalona's international travel to the audit at Envigo Huntingdon (UK) will not interfere with the offices' mission or jeopardize completing any deliverables.